

to be Secretary thereof."

The Section 176A as amended shall read as follows:

176A. MEETINGS OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL.

The newly elected Mayor, together with the newly elected Councilmen and the incumbent councilmen shall meet at 8:00 p.m. on the third Wednesday in September following the election for the purpose of organization, after which the Council shall meet regularly at such times as may be prescribed by its rules, but not less frequently than once each month. Special meetings shall be called by the Clerk-Treasurer upon the request of the Mayor or a majority of the members of the Council. All meetings of the Council shall be open to the public, and the rules of the Council shall provide that residents of the town or voters therein shall have a reasonable opportunity to be heard at any meeting in regard to any municipal question. At said meeting, the Councilmen shall elect one of their number as President, who shall preside at the meetings of the Mayor and Council. The Mayor shall appoint one of the Council to be Secretary thereof.

Resolved this 21st day of February, 1972, upon motion by J. Warren Frome seconded by G. Trimper, and carried unanimously.

Daniel Trimper, IV, Council President

William Purnell, Jr., Council Secretary

Harry W. Kelly, Mayor

AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER

OF THE TOWN OF OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

I, Harry W. Kelley, Mayor of the Town of Ocean City, Maryland, a Maryland municipal corporation, being the chief executive officer of said municipal corporation, do hereby give notice to the Secretary of State of Maryland and to the State Department of Legislative Reference, that the Charter of the Town of Ocean City, Maryland, has been amended as follows:

1. Section Amended - SECTION 176D - "COUNCIL TO BE JUDGE OF QUALIFICATIONS FOR MAYOR OR COUNCIL" Complete text of resolution amending said section of said charter is attached hereto. The date of the resolution is 21 February 1972.

2. Referendum Election - There was no Referendum Election nor was there any Petition for Referendum filed.

3. Effective Date - Said amendment became effective 50 days after the date of resolution, said effective date therefore being 12 April 1972.